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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

This Amendment After Final is responsive to the final Office Action mailed on July 10, 2006, and includes the following sections:

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No fee is believed to be necessary. Should any fee be required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0029 and notify us of the same.

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This Amendment After Final is responsive to the final Office Action mailed on July 10, 2006, in which claims 1-7 and 9-13 were pending and rejected. By this response claim 1 is amended to address all the issues raised in the Office Action and to place the application in condition for allowance. Entry of this amendment and reconsideration and allowance of claims 1-7 and 9-13 are requested.